

IMPERIAL HAS GOOD FEATURE IN "RAINMAKER"

Home Motion Pictures Also
—Striking Series Incident
to Eucharistic Congress

With splendid first pictures incidental to the great Eucharistic Congress in Chicago, some views of the Daughters of the Empire convention ceremonies in this city, a splendid feature picture, "The Rainmaker," comedy offerings, the usual orchestral treat backed up by the pipe organ, the Imperial Theatre ushered in the week in yesterday's sunshine to substantial summer business. It was just about as nice a program of movies as a fastidious fan could desire and contained enough of topical subject matter to give a substantial offset to the fiction quality.

"The Rainmaker" was a Paramount picture featuring William Collier, Jr., in the title role, a yarn by Gerald Beaumont, short story writer of the race track. The name "Rainmaker" was given a jockey whose "war arm" always twinged painfully before a rain-storm. In such prophetic circumstances he would win with his mud-horse and in this way was looked upon as possessing an uncanny power of divination. How the jockey fell in with a nurse probationer after an injury on the track and later prayed a Southern town out of pestilence into health, made a powerful spiritual yarn much along the lines of the "Miracle Man." It was replete in melodramatic excitement, horse racing, etc.

The Imperial's cool, refreshing interior, its new summer attire and the appropriately dressed patrons made an attractive place last night, so much so that strangers leaving the house were heard to comment favorably upon it.

TWO GOOD FILMS ON SCREEN AT GAIETY

Pete Morrison Stars in Western
Picture and Harry Langdon
in Comedy

Two stars, Pete Morrison, one of the outstanding western actors, and Harry Langdon, noted comedy find, are on the screen at the Gaiety in Fairville. Morrison appears in "Range Buzsard," a thrilling story of the old west, and is ably assisted by his clever horse Lightning. There are many stirring scenes to keep one keyed to the highest pitch. The work of Lightning, the horse, deserves more than passing mention. This clever animal does about everything but talk and his acting adds much to the success of the picture. Harry Langdon, comedian, appears in a rollicking story of married life entitled "His Marriage Wow." Langdon is rated as a find and his work in "His Marriage Wow" shows that the other funny men will have to look out or they will get pushed off the ladder. Tonight is the last chance to see this bill.

Use the Want Ad. Way

TURTLES GO SERENADING



—AND IF YOU'RE NOT
"CAUTELUS THE MAN"
"YOU MAKE A CHORD OUT
OF YOU"

Ages ago, mandolins were made of the shells of turtles. E. W. Knobbsdorf of Cleveland has revived the old art. This picture shows him with two mandolins that used to go crawling around Mud Creek.

QUEEN SQUARE HAS RICH COMEDY DRAMA

"First Year" of Married Life is
Screen Story Sure to be
Enjoyed

At the Queen Square Theatre, the age of comedy-dramas opened yesterday when Frank Craven's stage play, "The First Year" was shown. It is a Fox Films version of the John Golden stage success. The picture's main success lies in clothing the every-day incidents of married life with a sure comedy touch. There is not a couple in the world who will fail to recognize themselves in Tom and Grace Tucker. Kathryn Perry as Grace is entirely captivating. Her struggles with housekeeping, her eagerness to please her young husband, her resentment at his inadvertent neglect are all shown. Matt Moore as the husband is ideally cast. He is the average young married man, combatting the petty annoyances of a wife who loves to shop. Of course, he is attempting to forge ahead in business and when he brings his millionaire client home to dinner to talk him into a big deal, the high water mark of comedy is reached.

The cast includes John Patrick, Frank Currier, Virginia Madison, Margaret Livingston, and all deserve a word of praise. The picture will continue at the Queen Square tonight. It is certainly an enjoyable comedy.

TEACHERS' EXECUTIVE MEETS

FREDERICTON, N. B., June 28.—With the first session of the 81st meeting of the New Brunswick Teachers' Institute opening this afternoon, the expectation is that the registration will be heavy. The executive was in session this morning.

Masonic Officials Visit Grand Falls

GRAND FALLS, June 28.—A visitation was made on Thursday evening, June 24, to Coldbrook Lodge, F. & A. M. by George D. Ellis, Saint John Grand Master, with his staff, composed of LeBaron Wilson, P. G. M.; Dr. Sawaya, D. G. M.; J. Thornton, G. S. W.; E. H. Cairns, of Saint John; R. M. Gables, Woodstock, and Mr. Fraser, Director of Ceremonies. After the reception of the Grand Master and his staff the first degree was worked in a creditable manner. At the close refreshments, were served by the local lodge.

Imperial Theatre Workers Have Outing

The house-keeping staff of Imperial Theatre with their families—a party of more than 25—motored by bus line to Fair Vale yesterday for their first outing, which it is hoped to make an annual affair. The musical and executive operating staffs will hold their picnic later. The spot selected was on a private farm kindly donated and adjoining the Kenebecus shore.

The workers attended to their usual duties after show hours Saturday night in order to enjoy the whole of the day with their little ones in the country. During the afternoon members of their executive staff and their children joined the party and partook of the evening meal.

All told the Imperial employs between 40 and 50 men and women.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kreider, of Boston, are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. P. L. Bonnell, Queen Square, for the week. Mr. Kreider is a member of the firm of Crum and Fitch, architects of that city. Mrs. Kreider is a talented violinist and before her marriage did much concert and Chautauqua work.

BIG DRAMATIC ROLE FOR COLLEEN MOORE

Star Scores Success in "So Big"
—Wallace Beery in
Cast

"Big. Bigger. So-o Big!" That is how Colleen Moore, with a flourish of her arms, describes her ambitions for the future of her baby son in "So Big," at the Palace Theatre. Edna Ferber, who wrote the novel, has drawn a vivid word picture of the dream every mother builds about her son, and Miss Moore has given it real visualization. The story takes Colleen out of her flapper characterizations. It shows her as the wife of a poor truck farmer near Chicago a generation ago, wrestling on her hands and knees with the weeds in a cabbage patch. The climatic surprise comes with the emotional heights to which the actress rises in the finale of her difficult role. Miss Moore has done nothing like this before. The cast is excellent, particularly for comedy relief. Included are Wallace Beery, as a Dutch farmer; Phyllis Haver, Ford Sterling, John Bowers, Ben Lyon, Jean Herscholt, Dot Farley and Gladys Brockwell. "So Big" will conclude its run at the Palace Theatre tonight.

DRAMATIC FILM IS SHOWN AT UNIQUE

"The Wife Who Wasn't Wanted"—Prominent Movie
People in Cast

For a dramatic story, for a brilliant cast, for excellent direction, there is a decidedly worth while photoplay at the Unique Theatre. It is "The Wife Who Wasn't Wanted," a Warner Bros. classic, pictured from a popular novel by Gertrude Wentworth-James. It is a story of a mother's sacrifice of her happiness, her husband, and her reputation to save her son who has been convicted of manslaughter. Her husband's honor means more to him than his son, and the dramatic situations in which the mother finds herself compromised, as a result of scheming with her old-time sweetheart, lead to an unexpected climax.

Irene Rich gives one of her finest performances as the charming and self-sacrificing mother. Huntley Gordon makes a convincing district attorney, who puts honor above all else and makes John Manning an impressive figure. John Harron plays the son of Miss Rich and Huntley Gordon, and pretty Eleanor Fair is a vivacious young thing for whose crime Bob is almost punished.

June Marlowe is a lovely sweetheart who arrests Bob with a wedding ring when he is released from prison, and Gertrude Astor appears as a scheming temptress. The remainder of the cast includes George Pearce, Edward Piel, George Kuwa, Wilfred Lucas and Jimmie Quinn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Jarvis left last night on a motor trip to Boston. They were accompanied by Miss Alice Hatch and expect to be absent about two weeks.

Girl Tells Story of Assault By Man

Special to The Times-Star

FREDERICTON, June 28.—A young girl giving her age as 14 years appeared at the residence of William Tims on Forest Hill Road shortly after six o'clock Saturday evening and told a startling story of having been engaged by a young man giving his name as Smith, as a maid and companion for his wife and little child while he was away from home. The two started to walk to the alleged house of the man and entered the woods off College Road where an attempt to assault the girl was made. She broke away and worked her way through the woods to Forest Hill Road and the man made his way toward the river. The girl was taken home in a very nervous condition.

DAILY SERVICE SAINT JOHN MONCTON-HALIFAX

Commencing Sunday, July 4, Canadian National Railway train No. 14 will leave Saint John at 1 p. m., Atlantic Standard Time, daily, instead of daily except Sunday as at present, arriving Moncton 4 p. m., where connection will be made with the "Ocean Limited" leaving Moncton at 4:38 p. m., for Halifax.

Train No. 13 will leave Moncton at 2:40 p. m., where connection will be made with the "Ocean Limited" from Halifax, daily, arriving Saint John 5:30 p. m., Atlantic Standard Time. A Cafe-Parlor Car will be operated on Train No. 49, leaving Moncton at 4:45 p. m., Sundays only, for Saint John, serving supper en route.

AT LITTLE RIVER

Pleasing Closing Exercises at
School—Prizes and Program
—Presentation Made

In the Little River school a very pleasing program was furnished by the pupils under the direction of Miss Fernie Pepper, teacher of the advanced grades, and Miss Lois Ellis, teacher of the primary department. The school was decorated with potted plants, lilacs and ferns. The trustees, J. W. F. Flewelling and John Robertson, gave addresses of appreciation and said this year had been a record one in the history of the school. In appreciation of the teachers' services they were each presented with gifts and bouquets of cut flowers and given three cheers.

The trustees presented prizes to Lorne Lawless and Vernon Lawless, of grade one; to Harold Mitchell and Helen McDonald, grade two; James McCaskill and Mae Dorey, grade three; Cavell Lewis and Frank Mitchell, grade four; Christina Smith and Mary Boyle, grade five; Marjorie Babcock, Audrey Almon, grade six; Constance Gordon, Richard Reid, grade seven, and Hilda Smith, grade eight.

THE PROGRAM

The program was as follows: Recitation, "A Streak of Welcome," by Fred Dorey; song, "I'm Very Glad," by school; recitation, "Boys Together," by Vernon McDonald; recitation, "The Owl," Lorne Lawless; song, "Red, White and Blue"; recitation, "When I

Was a Little Girl," Hilda McDonald; drill, "A Workman"; recitation, Light, Marjorie Babcock.

St. Martins Telephone Company Annual

The declaration of the usual dividend and the election of officers were the chief matters of interest taken up at the postponed annual meeting of the St. Martins Telephone Company held yesterday at the local office of the N. B. Telephone Co., Ltd. The officers elected were Richard O'Brien, president, re-elected; Robert Carson, St. Martins, vice-president; Horace Black, secretary-treasurer; G. Clifford McAtty, Howard P. Robinson and W. H. Moran, St. Martins, directors.

MOTORED THROUGH ANNAPOLIS VALLEY

APPOHAQU, June 28.—Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Rand and Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hesler, of Sackville, have returned from a delightful motor trip to Halifax and through the Annapolis Valley. Mr. and Mrs. Hesler and Mr. and Mrs. Rand spent last week-end in P. E. Island, guests at the Beech Grove Inn.

B. C. NEWSPAPER MAN IS AT ST. MARTINS

ST. MARTINS, June 28.—Ralph White and wife, of Kamloops, B. C., have been spending a few days at their old home here. Mr. White is proprietor and publisher of the Kamloops Sentinel, one of the oldest papers in British Columbia.

IMPERIA

A Story With a Spiritual Punch!

Greatly Like "The Miracle Man"

THIS IS THE LAST DAY

THE RAINMAKER

A CLARENCE BADGER PRODUCTION

ERNEST TORRENCE WILLIAM COLLIER JR. GEORGIA HALE

—ALSO—

Eucharistic Congress Pictures

Cardinal Bonzano and other Dignitaries of the Catholic Church in New York en route to Chicago. Notable ceremonies and magnificent processions through the streets—Close up views.

The English Derby—"Coronach" Wins

DAUGHTERS OF EMPIRE HERE

Placing Wreath in King Square

COMEDIES—ORCHESTRA—ORGAN

TOMORROW!

"Infatuation"

CORINNE GRIFFITH

Straws
Felts
and
Caps

Collars
Belts
and
Ties

Holiday Requirements

Shirts, collars attached	\$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.95
Underwear, Athletic style	\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.75
Hose, Cotton, Lisle, Silk	25c to \$1.50
Bathing Suits, All Wool	\$2.90 up
Flannel Pants, Grey, etc.	\$3.00 to \$6.00
Sport Sweaters, All Kinds	\$3.00 up
Straws	\$1.00 up
Caps	\$1.50 up

Fancy Belts, Garters, Costless Suspenders, etc.

EXTRA SPECIALS IN SUITS \$25.00

CHAS. MAGNUSON & SON

"On Your Way to the Station"

54-56 Dock St. Open Evenings

UNIQUE - Today

"The Wife Who Wasn't Wanted"

IT WAS ONLY TO
SAVE OUR BOY!

IRENE RICH HUNTLEY GORDON JOHN HARRON GAYNE WHITMAN JUNE MARLOWE

Directed by James Flood

Scenario by Bees Meredyth

The story of a woman who found that other men really wanted her.

ALSO RATTILING COMEDY "UKELELE SHEIKS"

By BLOSSER

By MARTIN

By SWAN

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO BE WHEN YOU GROW UP, OSCAR?

ME? OH, I GUESS I'M GOING TO BE A SOLDIER!

A SOLDIER? WHY YOU MIGHT GET KILLED!!

WHO BY? WHO BY?

WHY BY THE ENEMY OF COURSE!

WELL THEN I GUESS I'LL BE AN ENEMY!!

I KNOW MY BUSINESS!

By BLOSSER

By MARTIN

By SWAN

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Boots and Her Buddies

IS EVERYTHING ALL RIGHT, OPAL?

SHO AM, HONEY— I'VE GOT NO'NIN' LEFT OVAR, NEITHAN.

OOH OPAL—I CAN'T FIND MY LITTLE PUPPIES— WHERE DO YOU STOE 'EM??

LAWDY, DOES YOREN DEY GOT TACKED IN, TOO?

HEYHUP PUPPY—HEYHUP! WHEAH AM YU ALL AT? WHITTITTTTTT—

OH, THERE THEY ARE— HEAR 'EM—

I REMEMBER NOW—I LOCKED 'EM IN TH' SEWIN' ROOM.

By BLOSSER

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Lost But Found

HE'YHUP PUPPY—HEYHUP! WHEAH AM YU ALL AT? WHITTITTTTTT—

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It Was A Snap

ARE YOU SURE YOU KNOW JUST HOW TO PRESS TH' BULB?

SURE!

I'VE BEEN PRACTICING ON IT WHILE YOU TALKS WERE GETTING READY!!!

By BLOSSER

By MARTIN

By SWAN

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